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Classified By: PolMinCouns Scott Bellard, reasons 1.4 (b) and (d)

¶1. (C) Department of Foreign Affairs and International Trade (DFAIT) Middle East and Maghreb Director General John Holmes will lead the Canadian delegation to the October 7 Like-Minded Meeting in Washington, DC (ref b), according to DFAIT's Iran, Iraq, Kuwait, and Qatar Deputy Director Gallit Dobner. She noted that Holmes is a trained lawyer, which, she said, will obviate the need to bring DFAIT legal staff. She commented that Canada will be in "listening mode" since the promised discussion paper is not yet available. Dobner added that the following individuals from Department of Finance Canada will also attend:

Allan Prochazka
Senior Analyst
Financial Sector Division
Financial Sector Policy Branch
Department of Finance Canada

Josee Nadeau
Senior Chief - International Financial Crimes Section
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